\$7,000,000 Fire

at Edison Plan

ENTIRE BLOCK OF CONCRETE

AT WEST ORANGE, N. J.

The Bulletin's Circulation in Norwich is Double That of Any Other Paper, and Its Total Circulation is the Largest in Connecticut in Proportion to the City's Population

SUNK BY A BRITISH SQUADKON

Line-Ownership of Others

BECOMING VERY STUBBORN.

Berlin Says Nothing of Note Has Occurred in the Carpathians.

Austrians Are Retreating in Disorder

Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig---Ships That trians are rettring in the greatest disorder, losing a large number of prisoners and cannon and war material.

"At one point along the line the Servians took 2,000 prisoners and the Servians took 2,000 prisoners and the sand and the flag of the 22nd regiment."

ARE NOW CHASING NURNBERG AND DRESDEN

Admiral Count Von Spee, Officers and Crew Went Down With the Scharnhorst, the German Flagship-Some Saved from the Other Two Ships-Artillery Duels and Infantry Attacks in Progress Along the Entire Front in Belgium and France-Servians Claim Austrians are Retreating in Disorder, Losing Heavily in Men, Guns and War Material—Petrograd Says Russians Evacuated Lodz Without Losing a Soldier-Germans Claim Russian Loss Was Heavy-Great Britain Now in Control of Asiatic Turkey From the Junction of the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers to the Sea-Emperor William too Weak to Give Military Instructions.

Great Britain has evened the score with Germany for the sinking of her cruisers, the Good Hope and Monmouth off Chili November 1.

A British squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee has sent to the bottom off the southern coast.

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men of war and, according to official advices, has given chase to two other Germans, the Nurnberg and Dresden, which also were engaged in the fight. An unofficial despatch from Chill says it is reported there that these two wassels were badly damaged.

With the sinking of the Scharnborst, the German fit hip, Admiral Count Von Spee probathy sought a grave beneath the waves, as was the case with Sir Christopher Cradock, for although the official report says some of the men of the Geelsenau and Leipzig were saved, to mention of the rescue of any of the ship's company of the Scharnborst.

Fighting in France and Belgium.

On land artillery duels and infantry attacks are in progress along the entroice front in Belgium and France and battles continue to be waged at various points in the east from Poland.

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Largest Vessels of German Fleet.

The Scharnhorst and Gneisenau were the largest vessels of the German fleet.

They were sister ships of 11,600 tons and were rated at a mean speed of 21-22-22 knots. Each carried a complement of 755 men and was armed with sight 8.2-inch guns, six 8-inch guns, six 8-in

Servians claim that the Austrians are the Scharphorst, which was his flagrecipitate flight before King Pe-ship forces and are losing heavily in Ti

ter's forces and are losing heavily in men, guns and war stores.

The French war office claims that in the western war zone the allies at various points have made gains and have strengthened the positions retaken from the Germans. From Berlands, near which the German ships were sighted, lie off the tip of South America, directly east of the Straits of the Manager of the Straits in, however, comes a denial of this Magellan, and an assertion that the Germans in the region of Nancy and in the JAPS AND BRITISH SINK forest of Argonne have inflicted heavy

nalties on the allies. Contradictory Statements About Lodz One Belonged to the German Cosmo Although Petrogred claims that the Russians evacuated Lodz for strategic reasons and without the loss of a single man, Berlin maintains that the German occupation of the second city in Poland was accomplished only after enormous losses had been suffered by the Russians.

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Turkish Ferces Surrender.

Great Britain, according to official advices, now is in complet control of that part of Asiatic Turkey from the junction of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers to the sea. This was accomplished through the surrender of the polished through the surrender of the results of the surrender of the results of the sea. This was accomplished through the surrender of the results of the r

junction of the Tigris and Euphrates fivers to the sea. This was accomplished through the surrender of the Turkish commander, Subhi-Bey, to Great Britain's Indian expeditionary force operating at the head of the ePrisan gulf.

The latest bulletin issued in Berlin concerning the condition of Emin concerning the condition of Emin

THREE GERMAN CRUISERS

SUNK BY BRITISH SQUADRON ands-Two Colliers Captured.

London, Dec. 8, 7.57 p. m.—It was announced officially here today that the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzie had been sunk off the Falkiand Islands in the South Atlantic.

The following announcement was issued by the official information bu-

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"At 7.80 a. m. on the 8th of December the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Nurnberg, Leipzig and Dresden were sighted near the Falkland Islands by a British squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee.

"An action followed, in the course of which the Scharnhorst, flying the fias of Admiral Count Von Spee, the Gneisenau and the Leipzig were sunk, The Dresden and the Nurnberg made off during the action and are being pursued.

"Two colliers also were captured.

"The vice admiral reports that the British casualties are very few in number.

"Some survivors have been rescned from the Gneisenau and the Leipzig."

Other German Cruisers Damaged.

Santiago, Chile, Dec. 9.—The reports received here of the sinking of the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig by British warships off the Falkland Islands say that two other German cruisers engaged in the battle were badly damaged.

Austrians Are Retresting in Disorder.

2000,000 JEWS DRIVEN FROM HOMES IN RUSSIAN POLAND

the Jews in Galicia. New York, Dec. 9.—Approximately we million Jews have been driven from their homes in Russian Poland. according to a cableg ram from the Petrograd office of the Jewish Coloni-zation association made public here to-day by the American Jewish relief

as follows:

"The Jews of all Russian Poland and the greater part of the Jews in the provinces of Kevno, Vilne, Grodno, Volynia, Pedolia and Bessarabia are suffering. The number of refugees and destitute approximates 2,000,000, Extreme distress also prevails among the Lews in the Gallelan provinces of the contract of the collection provinces of the contract of

GERMANS TO ECONOMIZE IN USE OF PROJECTILES

nmunition Factories Unable to Sup ply Vast Amounts for the Army.

Paris, Dec. 9, 6.15 p. m.—According the Temps, a German document has to the Temps, a German document has been found in a village in the department of Aisne, recommending that economy be observed in the use of projectiles for the artiflery. The reason for this recommendation, it is stated, is that the German ammunition factures, even when working at full force, are unable to supply indefinite amounts of ammunition for the army.

DANBURY MAN SUICIDES

AT O. U. A. M. MEETING.

Danbury, Conn., Dec. 9.—While in attendance at a meeting of the local council, Order of United American Mechanics, tonight, Foster Boughton, aged 65, a retired business man, stepped from the hall into an antercom and shot himself through the mouth

with a revolver.

He was dead when members of the lodge reached him. It is said Mr. Boughton had been despondent because

THREE GERMAN STEAMERS. ANNUAL MEETING AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

> National Red Cross at its tenth annual meeting here today readjusted its meeting here today readjusted its European war work. Hereafter the society will not solicit contributions for non-combatants, but will limit its solicitations to funds for relieving the sick and wounded in the engaged armies. It will transmit, however, non-combatant relief funds to European Red Cross organizations when the donor designates the country to which

or designates the country to which the funds are to be sent.

This change in policy was in line with the remarks of President Wilson, who, as active head of the organiza-tion, presided at the afternoon ses-sion. In urging the strictest neutral-ity on the part of Americans the

sion. In urging the strictest neutrality on the part of Americans, the oresident took occasion to praise the spirit of the Red Cross as typical of the American spirit to lend a helping hand to the suffering.

As Mr. Wilson talked, many of the women in the hall knitted industriously away on socks for the Belgian sufferers. Among those in the audience was Mrs. William H. Taft.

In reporting to the meeting on the European war work, Miss Mabel T. San Plo.

One steamer belonged to the German Comes line. The ownership of the two others, was not stated, but the commander of the Piedra Buena reported that one of them had a yellow funnel sith a black ring around European war work, Miss Mabel T. Boardman stated that the society had transmitted \$171,000 to Europe.

COLLIER JUPITER WAS

DAMAGED BY STORM Cleared from Philadelphia for Boston -Is Putting Into New York.

Washington, Dec. 9.-In a wireless despatch to the navy department Lieu-tenant Commander Kempff, command-ing the big electric collier Jupiter, an-mounced that his ship had been damaged by the storm off the coast and was proceeding to New York. The ves-sel left Philadelphia for Boston De-

cember 4.

The wireless said:
"Ship safe, all well. Owing to Gamage by gale, thick weather and absence of Nantucket lightship, proceeding to New York."

To Investigate Conduct of Minister

James M Sullivan.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Secretary Garrison has suggested to the president that the forthcoming investigation of the conduct of United States Minister James M. Sullivan of Santo Domingo be conducted by the state department alone. He pointed out that charges which had been lodged against Mr. Sullivan by Walter W. Vick, former receiver-general of Dominican customs, had no relation to Dominican affairs falling within the cognizance of the war department.

Wall paper originated in China in the fourth century.

bled Paragraphs

Von Moitke Improved in Health.
Lendon, Dec. 9, 10.55 p. m.—A despatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Amsterdam says: "A telegram from Berlin received here says that Count Von Moitke arrived in Berlin teday from Homburg, much improved in health, but still unable to return to the front. He will be employed in some other capacity. His successor as chief of the general staff will be Minister of War Lieutenant General Von Falkenhayn, who, since Count Von Moitke's illness, has filled his place."

13 MINE WORKERS KILLED PLATFORM OF CAGE COLLAPSED. At the Tripp Shaft of Diamond Col-Hery at Scranton, Pa.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 9.—Thirteen mine workers were killed at the Tripp shaft of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal Company's Diamond colliery here today when the platform of a mine cage on which they were being lowered into the mine collapsed and dropped 200 feet to the bottom of the shaft. A fourteenth man saved himself by clingeenth man saved himself by cling-ng to the bottom of the cage. The accident occurred when the men

accident occurred when the men were going to work.

John Belinski, driver boss and the only man in the only man in the cage to escape alive, declared that he had always had an instinctive fear of mine carriages and that he made it a practice for several years to cling to the side bars every time he rode up and down. After the floor of the cage dropped he clung to the rod and then climbed down the shafting to safety.

Jews in the Galician provinces occupled by the Russian armies."

SAYS CONDITIONS IN

VIENNA ARE NORMAL.

Charles Denby, American Consul General There.

Washington Dec. 9.—Charles Denby, American consul-general of the United States at Vienna, Austria, who is in this country on personal business, called today on Secretary Bryan and told him that despite reports to the contrary, conditions in Vienna were normal in every respect.

Theatres, hotels, commercial offices and shops were open for business as usual. Mr. Denby said and there had been no increase in prices, even in the restaurants.

of detonators which would have caus-ed an explosion of sufficient force to shatter the platform of the cage.

ADMITTED BY RUSSIANS Claim They Did Not Lose a Soldier While Giving Up the Position.

Petrograd. Russia, Dec. 9.—The evacuation by the Russians of Lodg. Russian Politic is admitted in a semi-official communication issued today, though the statement adds that the Russians did not lose a soldier when the position was given up.

The text of the communication follows:

hours in front of our empty trenches, the attack on which had cost them more than 10,000 soldiers and upon plant went dewn with the fire. The which they dared not advance. more than 16,000 soldiers and upon plant went down with the fire. The which they dared not advance.

"Only at three o'clock in the afternoon of December 6 did the Germans company, the one occupied by the Kiroten and the seven with the fire. The buildings destroyed included those occupied by the New Diamond Disc move forward to verify that there was nobody in the trenches facing them. They then entered the town.

"In changing our positions in the region of Lodz we did not lose a soldier. We only undertook this manoeuvre after we had ascertained that the Germans had definitely decided not to continue their attacks in this disc.

Company, the one occupied by the Kinetophone company and the building which housed the Bates Numbering machines, together with the Primary Edison Battery building, the talking machine building and the administration building.

Lack of Water Pressure.

The fire departments from Orange. to continue their attacks in this dis-

"Our manoeuvre was entirely inde-pendent of any suggestive action on the part of the enemy."

AMERICAN NAVY EXCELLED

ONLY BY THE BRITISH.

Assertion of Admiral Fletcher Before House Naval Affairs Committee.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The ability of the American navy to meet successfully the war fleets of any nation in the world except Great Britain was asserted today by Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, before the house naval affairs committee. Frankly admitting the overwhelming superiority of Britain's sea forces, the admiral sald the overwhelming superiority of Britain's sea forces, the admiral said that the possibility of conflict between the United States and Great Britain

Britain's sea forces, the admiral said that the possibility of conflict between the United States and Great Britain was so remote that he did not believe in a naval policy for this country designed to control the oceans as against England.

Admiral Fletcher was under examination all day by the committee at the first public hearing on a naval appropriation bill held in many years. He was piled with questions about the condition of the navy, judged by lessons of the European war and in the course of Great Britain, Germany, Russia, Japan and the Philippines. Although confidently declaring that the American navy was matched only by that of England, he adde dthat if this country continued to build only two battleships a year Germany on the basis of her present construction programme soon would be far in the gramme soon would be far in the safety.

\$650,000 CHRISTMAS GIFT

Chicago Firm Reimburses Men for Loss in Wages During Past Year.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Ten thousand employes of the Crane company will share in a \$650,000 Christmas gift this year as a partial recompense for the shrink-ago in wages that resulted from lost

Condensed Telegrams Emile Cahn, manager of the General ank of Belgium, died.

A new Servian Cabinet has been brimed by Fremier Pasiteh. Fire destroyed a paper factory at columbus, Ohio, at a loss of \$180,000.

The war has caused a deficit of \$8,00,000 in the Japanese customs reve

to operate a railroad in Nicaragua,

Thrown Out of Employment-Edison The Dollar Christmas fund for homeless Belgians has reached a to-tal of \$26,782. at 67, to Start All Over Again-Carried Only \$2,000,000 Insurance.

All diamond mines in the Cape, Fransvaal, and Orange. Free State West Orange, N. J., Dec. 9.—Fire desprovince are closed. byed virtually the entire main plant the Edison company here tonight, using damage estimated at nearly The mountain town of Coracora, Peru, was wiped out by an earthquake, Many lives were lost.

The Long Island Lighting Co., of Long Island, has increased its capital from \$200,000 to \$1,000,000.

east of Finland.

mately \$5,000,000.

An entire square block of modern einforced concrete buildings which were supposed to be fireproof was burned out. The only building saved in the block was the laboratory building, containing valuable scientific machinery under the immediate super-A seat on the New York Coffee Ex-change was sold for \$1,350, the last previous sale being \$1,275. The Tunky Transportation & Pow-er Co. was chartered at Dover, Del., ntendency of the inventor, Thomas A

The English football Association has decided to proceed with the annual cup competition in spite of the war. 7,000 Employed at Plant. and women will be temporarily throws out of work because of the fire. In all about 7,000 persons were employed at the plant, but as the storage battery building across the street from the main plant with other buildings near-The Baltimore City Council designated Tuesday, December 15, as "Self-Denial Day," for the benefit of the A French aeroplane flew over Ant-werp and dropped leaflets with the message; "Have courage! We will see you shortly."

Four Firemen Injured. Four firemen were injured in fighting the flames and were taken to a pital, but are not thought to be

this structure were successful.

To Start All Over Again. Although I am more than 67 years "Although I am more than 67 years old, I'll start all over again tomorrow," said Mr Edison. "I am pretty well burned out tonight, but tomorrow there will be a mobilization here and the debris will be cleared away if it is cooled sufficiently, and I will go right to work to reconstruct the plant."

The inventor expressed himself thus as he stood watching the flames lick The inventor expressed himself thus as he stood watching the flames lick up building after building of his mammoth electrical plant, started, it is thought, by an explosion in the inspection building, one of the smaller frame structures. This building was quickly a mass of flames and the spread of the blaze to other structures nearby was rapid.

earby was rapid. Firemen Constantly in Danger. The quantities of chemicals in som of the larger buildings made the wor' of fighting the fire extremely difficult The text of the communication follows:

"The German official communication says that the Russians must have had enormous losses in evacuating Lodz. The confiderce that should be placed in this communication is evidenced by the fact that the Russian troops withdrew from Lodz about migriple on Lodz about migriple on Lodz about and worms participles." and women marching out in virtuall the perfect order.

Eleven Buildings Burned.

INTRODUCED IN SENATE.

Practically identical to Alexander Bil Pending in the House.

The fire departments from Orange East and South Orange, Bloomfield

sult of a 24 hours ultimatum from General Carranza.

made the estimate of the loss. The burned buildings, the inventor com-mented, were supposed to be among the finest examples of modern fire-proof construction and pictures of them as such had been exhibited all over letters or packages that are going to the station at 116th street. A six through the mail.

MUST CEASE FIRING ACROSS BORDER

Or President Wilso nand Secretary Garrison Will Order U. S. Batteries to Return Mexican Fire

SHARP WARNING SENT TO MEXICANS IN ARMS

The business section of the village of Benton Ridge, Ohio, was wiped out This Action of United States is Purely Defensive, as They Will Not Cross the Line, But Will Fire From Their Own Territory-Range of the Artillery Sent to Naco is From Five to Six Miles, and Shells Could be Sent Over the Mexican Town Into the Lines of the Mexican Faction Which Insists Upon Firing Into American Territory-Similar Warning, Previously Given, Was Heeded.

> Washington, Dec. 9.—If the contending Mexican forces opposite Naco, Ariz, do not cease firing into Ameri-Ariz, do not cease firing into American territory, the three batteries of phatically expressed. field artillery sent to the internationetary Garrison will be ordered to return the fire.
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> This is the determination of the United States government, it became This is the determination of the United States government, it became known toolght after a full discussion of the question by President Wilson with his cabinet yesterday. No specific orders have been given as yet to Brigadier General Tasker H. Bliss, who was directed to proceed to acce with the fied artillery. But while he is enroute there, officials expect an answer to the sharp warning which has been given to General Maytorena, commanding the Villa troops and General Hill of the Carranza torces, but oul ets and shells must not fall on American soil. Similar warning has been communicated to General Carranza and General Villa through American consular agents.

war or invasion.

Previous Warning Was Heeded.

same warning, which was heed-

Shells Could Be Sent Six Miles.

Act Constitutes a Precedent.

ing express. Fiames immediately broke out in the two rear cabs of the

ease among cattle, 30 countles in Ohio and 12 in Maryland have been put No act of Aggression.

No act of "aggression" is contemplated as was explained in a statement is sued by the white House today, but officials draw a distinction but of order.

During a test of the new \$250,000 German pontoen crane Hercules, at Colon, the boom buckled and collapsed while lifting 150 tons.

H. M. S. Tuna, the latest addition to the Canadian navy, and one of the Not an Act of Aggression

The crew of 20 men of the Swedish steamer Norra-Sverige perished when the steamer struck a mine on the

fastest hoats in the Billish fle the navy dockyard at Halfax.

Leut. Karl Wilhelm Gross, formerly a professor at Cornell University was killed while leading a bayonet charge against the French at Ypres. Military and civilian prisoners in England have to be kept i nseparate camps, as they are contsantly quarrel-

ing as to their respective bra The English civilians interned in a concentration camp near Berlin, have brepared for a long stay. They have elected a camp commander and squad

The Allegheny Steel, Pittsburgh Plate Glass, and Tarentum Glass Companies plants, of Pittsburgh employing about 1,200 men, resumed operations

Baron Kato, the Japanese foreign minister, in addressing the Diet, thank-ed the United States for its kind of-

the story that there has been any controversy between Police Commis-sioner Woods and himself over the

On the flyleaf of a Bible found on a woman arrested in San Antonio, killed and more than a hundred per- clause of the New York labor law was Tex., the name of Dorothy Arnold, sons were injured here tonight in a upheld by the court of general sessions

Red Cross spais should, in accordance with Order No. 5020 of the post-office Department, "be affixed to the reverse side of domestic mail matter," and note on the address side of any After the fire it was Mr. Edison who

> Napies, Dec. 5.—Arrived, steamer Finland, New York, Salled 8th, steamer Stampalia, New York. Havre, Dec. 9.—Arrived, steamer Chicago, New York, Sailed, 8th, La Touraine, New York, Sailed, 8th, La Touraine, New York, Dec. 9.—Sailed, steamer Caserta, Naples.
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> New York, Dec. 9.—Sailed, steamer Frederik VIII, Copenhagen, New York, Dec. 9.—Steamer Megantic, Liverpool for New York, signalled Dock 8.36 a. m. Thursday, New York, Dec. 9.—Arrived, steamer Megantic, Liverpool.
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> President's Daughter to Spend Christmas at the White House, Washington, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, daughter of President Wilson, is expected at the White House for Christmas, and to remain there for Some time afterward. The president has decided not to 0 away I mm Washington for the holidays, but will spend the day at home with his family. Naples, Dec. 5.—Arrived, steamer Finland, New York, Sailed 8th steamer Stampalia, New York.

an end to such occurrences was en Statement by Carranza's Agent.

Rafael Zubaran Capmany, Carran-za's agent here issued a statement tothe firing across the border, and chal-lenging Governor Maytorena on be-half of General Hill, the Carranza commander, to withdraw into the in-terior of Mexico for a pitched battle, He made public the tollowing tele-gram from General Hill:

onvenience of ene ertically protesting to the American covernment assume the irritating discriminating attitude of the mili ary authorities at Naco, Ariz, whose good graces have won by the Maytore aistas.

"Bullets from our enemy are constantly causing damage to the Americans." stantly causing damage to the Ameri-can town but we are held responsi-ble for it, due to the above mentioned

The families of our chiefs and ofncers and many of our soldiers under the shelter of the neutrality laws are tying in Naco, Ariz. Under these circumstances you can see how rea-sonable it is for us to avoid firing towards the United States."

Summary of Conditions in Mexico. Despatches telling of conditions in general in Mexico were summarized by the state department tonight as

"The department is informed that on Sunday General Eduardo Hay arriv-ed in Piedras Negras and addressed a large audience at the theatre on be-half of General Carranza. It is re-ported that on the same afternoon General Hay left for the United States, Good order is said to prevail Although it is not generally known, Brigadier General Hugh Scott, now chief of staff of the army, when in command at El Paso, Texas, a year ago, placed his artillery in position along the Rio Grande and de ivered the same warmer which was been broughout the Piedras Neg

"A dispa I from Mexico City con-firms the report that the permanen It was explained at the state department that the range of the artillery ordered to Naco is from five to six miles. Shells could be sent over the Mexican town, without injuring the residents, into the lines of the Mexican faction which insisted on firing into American territory. This is the plan of officials should warning prove futile.

The impression in Mexico City seems to be that the provisional president is endeavoring, in the matter of his ap, a timents, to give all elements common consideration. Dominguez

The general expectation, however, is that no such contingency will arise because the Mexican chiefs themselves recognif that foreign compilications would be a serious domestic liability to whichever faction was shown to be responsible for them.

The department is advised that on the control of the treasury with Colonel Alberto Fuentes as assistant. common consideration. Dominguez Valdez Lane was on December 5th appointed comptroller of the treasury

"The department is advised that on December 7th a train burned at Cor-doba, destroying twenty tons of The Holland-American liner Noorderdyk arrived at New York from Rotterdam with a full cargo, including a large consignment of German toys and 15,000 canary birds.

An unnamed American woman, who owns a villa on the Olse, gave \$20 to each member of a French Socialist regiment, which protected her home

> TWO KILLED, 100 INJURED ALIEN LABOR CLAUSE OF NEW YORK LABOR LAW Upheld by the Court of General Sesed Trains. sions in Crane Case.

New York, Dec. 9 .- Two men were killed and more than a hundred per- clause of the New York labor law was Tex., the name of Dorothy Arnold, who has been missing from her home of New York for several years, was written.

An inventory of the estate of the late Edward Mirris, Chicago packer, was filed in the probate court, giving the sum of \$100,600 as the first year award to the widow. No total yalue of the estate was included in the inventory.

President Wilson laughed heartilly when told that Senator Smith, from Michigan, had announced that the evacuation of Vera Cruz was the result of a 24 hours ultimatum from General Carrange.

A defective controller of the law a upheld by the court of general sessions here today when a test suit brought against Clarence A. Crane, secretary of the general contractors' association, on the charre of violating this law by the passengers. Firemen fought the biaze in the trains, which were 75 feet above the street, from the roots of houses for an hour before they could subdue it, and traffic was tied up for more than three houre. The dead are:

Joseph Collins, a guard and Gottling the law. In a test case which came up in the supreme court yesterday Justice Newburger declined to continue a temporary injunction restraining the public service commission.

A defective controller of the local train, which failed to operate the brakes, is said to have caused the comploying aliens in the construction of the new subway.

The accident occurred just after a seven car passenger express, bound north, had turned from the express track to the local track and pulled in-Mines to Remain Closed Until a Wage Scale is Agreed Upon.

clation issued a statement defin their position. The statement a that their mines would not be reoper and which is not an increase over last year." The statement s also admitted to mean that for the present at least the operators have abandoned the thought of reopening their mines on an

Mrs. Young Re-elected Superintendent of Chicago Schools. Chicago, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Ella Flaga Young, superintendent of the Chicago chicals with sales of \$10,000 a year

Mad Sunk Two British Cruisers.

The Scharnhorst, Gnelsenau and sipsig, with the cruisers Numbers and Dresden, composed the German Pacific fleet which in an engagement with the British equadron under Rear of the Servian army has been successful along the entire front. The Australia Disorder, which had been lodged against he Sullivan by Walter W. Vick, form receiver-general of Dominican cutoms, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to Dominican cutoms, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to Dominican cutoms, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation to the Havas Agency from Nish, Service, had no relation t